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SOUTH WHITE STREET IMPROVEMENTS BEGIN TODAY

WAKE FOREST, NC – September 22, 2008 – Econ International Corp. will begin work on Phase I of the South White Street Improvement Plan today. Phase I encompasses the west side of South White Street from Roosevelt Avenue (NC 98) to Jones Avenue and the east side of South White from Roosevelt to Wait Avenue.

During the first phase of construction, crews will perform demolition, make utility adjustments, and install granite curb, and sidewalk paver block. Phase II will consist of the installation of tree grates, retaining walls, and new street lights.

Construction will be suspended from Thanksgiving through Christmas and is expected to be completed in the spring of 2009.

Parallel parking will be permitted only along the west lane of South White Street from Jones Street to Wait Avenue, and will not be permitted in the east and west lanes from Wait Avenue to Roosevelt Avenue. Parking is available in the municipal parking lot near the gazebo. Pedestrian access to downtown businesses will not be affected.

Pedestrians and motorists are urged to use caution in the area, pay attention to lane switches, and obey flag signals from construction personnel.

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